Serial No. 10/561,898 Reply to Office Action Dated 12/23/2009 PD030070 Customer No. 24498

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Ingo Hutter

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Title : Method for controlling a network station in a network of a first type

from a network station in a network of a second type, and connection unit

for the connection of the networks of the first and second types

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Examiner : Anthony Bantamoi

RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.111

Mail Stop Amendments Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the present Office Action dated December 23, 2009 for which a shortened statutory period of three months ending March 23, 2010 was set in which to respond, and for which pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) a one-month extension ending April 23, 2010 is hereby requested, the following comments constitute a response to the present Office Action wherein reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Please charge the required extension fees to Deposit Account 07-0832.

Listing/Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.